Status of Implementation of Recommendations Contained in the One Hundred forty-first, One Hundred fifty-seventh, One Hundred sixty-second, One Hundred sixty-eight, One Hundred sixty-ninth, One Hundred seventieth and One Hundred seventy-second Reports of Department-Related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Science and Technology, Environment and Forests

THE MINISTER OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTER OF EARTH SCIENCES (SHRI KAPIL SIBAL): Sir, I make statements regarding status of implementation of recommendations contained in the One Hundred forty-first, One Hundred fifty-seventh, One Hundred sixty-second, One Hundred sixty-eighth, One Hundred sixty-ninth, One Hundred Seventieth and One Hundred Seventy-second Reports of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Science and Technology, Environment and Forests.

Status of Implementation of Recommendations Contained in the First, Fifth and Fourteenth Reports of Department-Related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Personnel, Public Grievances, Law and Justice

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI): Sir, I make statements regarding status of implementation of recommendations contained in the First, Fifth and Fourteenth Reports of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Personnel, Public Grievances, Law and Justice.

MOTION FOR ELECTION

Motion for Election to the Joint Committee on Offices of profit

THE MINISTER OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI H. R. BHARDWAJ): Sir, I move the following motion:

> That this House concurs in the recommendation of the Lok Sabha that the Rajya Sabha do elect one Member of the Rajya Sabha to the Joint Committee on Offices of Profit in the vacancy caused by the retirement of Shri P.G. Narayanan from the Rajya Sabha and resolves that the House do proceed to elect, in accordance with the system of proportional representation by means of the single transferable vote, one Member from among the Members of the House to the said Joint Committee, to fill the vacancy.

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

...(Interruptions)...

Motion for Election to the Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (APEDA)

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI): Sir, on behalf of my colleague, Shri Jairam Ramesh, I move the following motion:

That in pursuance of clause (d) of sub-section (4) of Section 4 of the Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority Act, 1985 (2 of 1986), read with Rule 3 of the Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority Rules, 1986, this House do proceed to elect, in such manner as the Chairman may direct, one Member from among the Members of the House to be a member of the Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority to fill up the vacancy that will be arising therein *w.e.f.* September 22, 2007 consequent on the expiry of the tenure of Shri Ravula Chandra Sekar Reddy as a member of the Authority.

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

...(Interruptions)...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Except Government Legislative Business, nothing is going on record.

Motion for Election to the Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Thiruvananthapuram

THE MINISTER OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (SHRI KAPIL SIBAL): Sir, I move the following motion:

That in pursuance of clause (j) of Section 5, read with sub-section (1) and (2) of Section 6 of the Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Trivandrum Act, 1980 (No. 52 of 1980), this House do proceed to elect, in such manner as the Chairman may direct, one Member from among the Members of the House, to be a member of the Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Thiruvananthapuram.

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

...(Interruptions)...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Interruptions are not going on record. *...(Interruptions)...*

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The Unorganised Sector Workers' Social Security Bill, 2007

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI OSCAR FERNANDES): Sir, I beg to move for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for the social security and welfare of unorganised sector workers and for other matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.